Brooke Army Medical Center Auxiliary 3851 Roger Brooke Drive Fort Sam Houston, TX 78234

Dear Spouses of incoming residents,

On behalf of the Brooke Army Medical Center (BAMC) Auxiliary we would like to welcome you to BAMC and San Antonio. The BAMC Auxiliary is an organization to foster friendship among its members through fundraising and special events in support of the Brooke Army Medical Center and the military community. It is comprised primarily of military spouses with varied interest and backgrounds. Our group includes stay at home Moms and Dads, nurses, teachers, accountants, investment professionals, creative artists, retirees and many more interesting members who make for a very well rounded organization. We share a variety of interests such as running, painting, book club, scrap booking, and social gatherings. This spring our Auxiliary has given approximately \$35,000 to improve our military and civilian community by providing scholarships, patient equipment, and entertainment items for long therapy, funds for the Fisher Houses and many other gifts to improve quality of life.

The BAMC Auxiliary will be hosting a social the week of June 12th for incoming resident spouses and current auxiliary members. I will send a personal invitation closer to the event. This social gives us the opportunity to welcome you and help to foster new friendships. Please email me with your first and last name, mailing address new and old, and a home and cell phone number where you can be reached now and after you move. This will help me to stay in touch with you during the transition to San Antonio.

I strongly encourage you to join an organization, such as our BAMC Auxiliary, that pertains to your interests and where you can find additional support that will ease this transition. I personally look forward to getting to know you and your family. Please email me with any questions concerning the BAMC Auxiliary.

Sincerely,

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